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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :

Mario POLEGATO MORETTI :

GROUP ART UNIT: 3728

SERIAL NO: 09/765,605 :

EXAMINER: A. STASHICK

FILED: JANUARY 22, 2001 :

FOR: WATERPROOFED VAPOR-
PERMEABLE SOLE FOR SHOES :

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AMENDMENT

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

In response to the Office Action mailed on October 5, 2001, please amend the above-identified patent application, as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as shown in the Marked-Up Copy at the end of this amendment. The amended portions of the specification are shown in clean form below.

Page 1, lines 28-30, please replace the paragraph, with the following:

--The tread is then assembled at least peripherally with at least one upper part made of rubber or similar material which has a plurality of through holes at least in the regions affected by the membrane.--

IN THE CLAIMS:

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